

CHECKLIST/OPTION MATRIX for IWS THYROID STUDY

Below is a matrix that will serve as a checklist for each of the three different IWS Thyroid Study options.

PLEASE READ THROUGH THIS SHEET AND ALL THE FORMS BEFORE GOING TO YOUR VET'S OFFICE!

Make sure that you

BRING ALL THE NECESSARY COMPLETED FORMS & VET INSTRUCTIONS/B WITH YOU TO YOUR VET'S OFFICE

when you go to have your dog's blood drawn so that they can be packed along with the blood samples.

OPTION #1

Thyroid Profile 5™ & DNA

~~\$102.~~ \$80. to Hemopet
Cost of Overnight Shipping
Cost of Collection & Prep

Also Enclose:

- IWS Questionnaire/D (Supporting Data) ◇ (Pedigree) ◇
- Test Request Form/E
- DNA Informed Consent/F

For Thyroid–Serum to Submit:

SEPARATED **SERUM** from **ONE** (1) full RTT (red top/3.5cc) tube of blood

For DNA–Whole Blood to Submit:

TWO (2) full LTT (lavender top/2cc) tubes filled with **WHOLE BLOOD**

If From Outside US:

Explanatory Letter for US Customs/G

OPTION #2

OFA Thyroid Expanded Panel & DNA

~~\$145.~~ \$112. to Hemopet + \$15. to OFA
Cost of Overnight Shipping
Cost of Collection & Prep

Also Enclose:

- IWS Questionnaire/D (Supporting Data) ◇ (Pedigree) ◇
- Test Request Form/E
- DNA Informed Consent/F
- App. for OFA Thyroid Database §
[http://www.ofa.org/pdf/thyapp_bw.pdf]

For Thyroid–Serum to Submit:

SEPARATED **SERUM** from **TWO** (2) full RTT (red top/3.5cc) tubes of blood

For DNA–Whole Blood to Submit:

TWO (2) full LTT (lavender top/2cc) tubes filled with **WHOLE BLOOD**

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Option #3 - Paperwork Only

Submit Existing Complete Thyroid Panels done within the past 6 months
Cost of photo-copying
Cost of Postage

Also Enclose:

- IWS Questionnaire/D (Supporting Data) ◇ (Pedigree) ◇

• = Required information

§ = Requires registration numbers

NOTE: Costs adjusted to reflect IWS Thyroid Study Subsidy

All funds in US dollars please.

◇ = Optional information

Please be aware that the lab is CLOSED on SUNDAYS, so do NOT overnight blood on Saturdays. Thanks!